REMARKS

Applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I, Claims 1-16 and 46, which are drawn to a stretchable fabric.

Claims 17-45 (Group II) are withdrawn from further consideration. Applicant reserves the right to file one or more divisional application on the withdrawn claims.

Should any other amendments be necessary to place the application in condition for a Notice of Allowance, Examiner Matzek is invited to call the undersigned at the below noted telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

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